**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Home Department – Allegation of corruption against Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem Police Station, West Godavari District – Case entrusted to TDP – Abolished - Case entrusted to COI - Appointment of Inquiring Authority – Orders– Issued.

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**HOME (SC.A) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.503.** **Dated:26-04-2024**

**Read the following:-**

1. The Director General, ACB, AP, Vijayawada, Lr.RC.No.84/RCT-EWG/2017, dt.05.10.2017 & 09.10.2018.
2. Govt. Letter No.44/SC.A/A2/2017-2, Home(SC.A)Dept.,dt.08.03.2019.
3. Act No.29 of 2022 published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette on 22.12.2022.
4. From the General Administration (COI-R) Department, U.O.Note No.2276066/GAD/COI-R/2023-5, dt.16.03.2023
5. Govt. Memo.No.44( 2158894)/SC.A/A2/2017, Home(SC.A) dept.,dt.01.08.2023.
6. From the Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri, Lr.Rc.No.639/T1/ACB/2017, dt.26.02.2024 along with the representation of the Charged Officer Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem Police Station, West Godavari District.
7. From the General Administration (COI-R) Department, U.O.Note No.2398419/GAD/COI-R/2024-1, dt.16.04.2024.

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**ORDER:-**

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada has informed that the oral and documentary evidence available on record is insufficient to prosecute the AO-2 Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, Sub-Inspector of Police, Koyyalagudem Police Station, West Godavari District in Criminal Court beyond all reasonable doubts, but it is sufficient to substantiate before Tribunal for Disciplinary proceedings on preponderance of probabilities the allegation that the AO-2 who is IO in Cr. No. 83/2017 of Koyyalagudem PS allowed his Station Writer (A.O.-1 Sri Bobbara Samson, H.C.1749 (Station Writer)), to collect the bribe amount to accept the bail bonds of the complainant who is an accused in Cr.No.83/2017 U/s. 447,324 r/w. 34 IPC of Koyyalagudem PS on behalf of him.The Director General, ACB has therefore recommended to place the AO.2 on his defence before the Tribunal for disciplinary proceedings.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Government, have issued orders to entrust the case of Accused Officer Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem PS, West Godavari District to the Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings for enquiry and report.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Government have issued Extraordinary Gazette vide Act.No.29 of 2022 dt:22.12.2022 to repeal the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Disciplinary Proceedings Tribunal) Act, 1960 and all cases pending before the said Tribunal on the said date shall stand transferred to the Commissionerate of Inquiries(COI) to continue the pending proceedings and shall be disposed of by it accordance with the statutory rules governing conduct of the disciplinary proceedings in due compliance with principles of natural justice.

4. In the reference 4th read above, after repealing TDP Act, the General Administration(COI-R) Department has informed that the case of Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem PS, West Godavari District is assigned to Sri R.P.Thakur, IPS(Retd.), Member, COI for Commencement / continuation of Inquiries as per the procedure and handed over the connected records to Home Dept., on 03.04.2023. As seen from the records, the charges were not framed by the TDP.

5. In the reference 5th read above, while forwarding the Draft Article of Charges to the Director General of Police, AP, Mangalgiri and he was requested to frame the charges against Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem PS, West Godavari District under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 on the allegation of corruption and obtain explanation from the Charged Officer and furnish the same to the Govt., for taking further course of action in the matter.

6. In the reference 6th read above, the Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri has informed that the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Eluru Range has framed the charges against Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP vide their Proc. C.No.53/P1/2023, dt.20.10.2023 and the Charged Officer in his representation has denied all the allegations levelled against him and requested the Dy. IGP, Eluru Range, Eluru to permit him to submit his written statement of defense after completion of the Oral Enquiry against him if any proposed.

7. In the reference 7th read above, the General Administration (COI-R)Department has informed that the case of Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem PS, West Godavari District is re-assigned to Sri B.V.Sudhakar, Indian Postal Service (Retd.,), Member, Commissionerate of Inquiries for Commencement / continuation of Inquiries as per the procedure laid down.

8. Government after examination of the matter and preliminary written statement submitted by the Charged Officer, it is decided that, the matter be referred to an Inquiry Authority and in exercise of powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules,1991, hereby appoint **Sri B.V.Sudhakar, Indian Postal Service (Retd.,), Member, Commissionerate of Inquiries as Inquiring Authority** to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer Sri Siripurapu Srinivasa Syam Pavan Kumar, SIoP, Koyyalagudem PS, West Godavari District, as per procedure laid down.

9. The Inquiry Authority is requested to conduct an enquiry and submit his report to Government within a stipulated time.

10. The connected copies of documents /records, as received from the O/o. the Registrar, Commissionerate of Inquiries, G.A(COI) Department are furnished herewith to the Inquiring Authority as required under rule 20 (7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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through the Director General, ACB, AP, Vijayawada.
The General Administration(COI) Department.
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
The Director General, ACB, A.P., Vijayawada.
The APVC, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER //

K. Padmavathi.
SECTION OFFICER(SC)